# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

## **FISCAL NOTE**



**SB 9 – HB 12** 

January 12, 2017

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Establishes that blood donation, as defined in Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-32-101(a), by a student shall count as one hour of community service credit for the purpose of qualifying for the Tennessee Promise Scholarship award.

## **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### NOT SIGNIFICANT

### Assumptions:

- According to information provided by the Tennessee Promise Scholarship website
  www.tnpromise.gov, Tennessee Promise Scholarship recipients are required to complete
  and submit eight hours of community service each semester to maintain eligibility for
  the Tennessee Promise Scholarship award.
- Allowing students to count blood donation as one hour of community service towards the eight hour requirement is not anticipated to result in a significant change to the number of Tennessee Promise Scholarship recipients.
- Based on the information provided by TSAC, this change will not require additional computer programming to the Tennessee Promise student portal.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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